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Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully request to be informed of the status of the above-identified patent application. In particular, please provide the undersigned attorney with a projected examination date for this application.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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